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In re the Application of

Roger DENIS

Application No.: 09/857,144

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For:

A SAFETY ASSEMBLY FOR A PREFILLED SYRINGE FOR INJECTING LIQUID, IN

PARTICULAR A MEDICINE

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired <u>June 24, 2003</u>, an extension of time for a period of <u>two</u> month is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 145528 in the amount of \$410.00 in payment for:

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